Our Regular Correspondent.] HINGTON, February 13 .-

ver men of the type of Messrs. arner, and Cassidy were again ing obtaining signatures to this they propose sending Mr. the urging him to take no positile to the continuation of silver Chairman Barnum and Hon. coinage Scott arrived. I hear of their mission is to the object impress upon Democratic congressmen the importance of a stoppage of the coinage of silver dollars. They claim that the Treasury is overflowing with them and that nobody wants them in any quantity. They suggest that a riation bills to effect this purpose.

THE RIVEY-AND-HARBOR BILL. the two hoirs given the river-andharbor bill were consumed to-day in discussing the right to limit debate on discussing the real it to an hour aid a half, as proposed by Mr. Willis. Nearly all of the Repub-Mr. Willis. Nearly all of the Repuband the Democrats were equally as solid against it. Mr. Blackburne (in the chair) decided against the Republicans, and they appealed from the decision of the Chair. On the motion to lay the appeal on the table the vote stood; Ayes, 121; noes, 104. Representative Bennet, of North Carolina, voted in favor of sustaining th The hour of 12 arrived point of order. just after the vote was announced, and the regular session of to-day commenced. g the appeal on the table encourag equently moved that the adjourns to-night, take to-morrow. At first refused to vote, but as aken by tellers it Mr. Willis subs House, when it i a recess until 10 the Republicans r when the vote was stood: Yeas, 164 c nays, none. This gives the river-and-arbor bill two hours to-morrow. The same course will be pursued next week. The irrepressible White again caused a loss of time. THE INDIAN QUESTION-HAMPTON

The special friends of the Indians in Congress are making efforts to do some thing practical for them. They proany reservation is advantageous for agricultural or grazing purposes and the Indians quartered thereon are sufficiently civilized to encourage the hope that allotment of lands in severalty will be for their benefit he av allot said lands to them. They propose, however, that ample safeguards shall be thrown around them, so that they shall not fall preys to land-sharpers. It is further pro posed to bring them under the laws of the United States, but not to make them citizens. Citizenship, they say. will follow in course of time. The experiments being made at Hampton for the education of Indians is watched with much interest.

with much interest.

PERSONAL NEWS ITEM

Hon, John S. Wise arrived this morning and left this evening for New York.

He is paired with Mr. Morrison, who is at Springfield looking after his senatorial later. rial interest. It is said that Mr. Eliot is the only member of the House Elec tion Committee who wants the Wise Massey case taken up. He desires, I hear, to vindicate his course. Mr. Carlisle's secretary informed me today that the Speaker was a lit-tle better. Judge Garrison, who has been home, was in his seat to-day, Senator Voorhees and Representative Cobb, of Indiana, went to Albany to see Mr. Cleveland in behalf of ex-Senator McDonald, whom they want to have a place in the Cabinet. They carried with them the twenty-two senators: including that of Senators Lamar and George and the Senators of West Virginia, Tennessee, and Alabama, Colonel Fred, Grant says his father in the past few days has not been as well as was for. Last night he was reported better. Senators Harris and Maxey were the Democratic visitors at the White House to-day. The committee will report in

favor of increasing the pension of the widow of General II. Thomas to \$2,000 a year.

MORMONS AND INDIANA A delegation of young Mormons, whose ages seemed to range from twenty-two to twenty-five, to-day were at he House and had an interve Delegate Caine, who represents their Territory, in regard to Mormo They were handsome and not only fash-ionably but tastefully dressed, and were evidently educated. Davy

Jones, after surveying them in silence for some minutes turned to your correspondent and said they look just like our people, and they had looking too." There were also two very big Indians at the Capi-tol to-day. One wore a large drab fur Russian-looking cap, and looked like a pirate king. There have been but few Indians here this winter.

THE SENATE AND AN EXTRA SES

Mr. Allison, chairman of the Appropriations Committee, to day remarked that his committee was up on all the appropriation bills that had reached it, and that if an extraosession became necessary it would not be the fault of the Senate. Mr. Beck said he had never before known at this d appropriation bills before the Senate Appropriations Committee as vanced as at present. They said nothing about the condition of appropriation in the House.

DANIEL AND WINTHROL I take it that no two orations co be more dissimilar than those jor Daniel and Hon. Robert C throp, to be delivered here at the cele on over the completion of the Washington monument. Major Paniel will give a flesh-and-blood picture of greatest man this country has yet produced. He will admit, I take it, that he had faults, and was not always sweet-tempered or ready to overlook the shortcomings of his subaltern. In a word, that he was a strong. a word, that he was a strong, manly man. Mr. Winthrop, on the other hand, will no doubt make him such a character as Edward Everett was. He will not picture him, however, as the school histories do-as half angel and half wo-

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS. The House Appropriations Committee will report the naval appropriation bill

Government receipts to-day: Internal revenue, \$356,642; customs, \$635,792. Mr. Cox denies that he asked Mr. Carlisle to designate him as Speaker pro tem. Of course he didn't.

XLVIIITH CONGRES WASHINGTON, February 13, 1825.

The Chair laid before the Senate a letter from J. Schuyler Crosby, Acting Postmaster-General, upon the importance of securing possession of certain documents relating to the Post-Opine Department of the late infederate Mr. Dawes, from the C

ppropriations, reported the ppropriation bill with and laced on the calendar.

Mr. Ingalls said he had obs certain quarters the statement that the Republicans of the Senate were endeavoring so to direct legislation as to con pel an extra session. He asked Mr. Allison, the chairman of the Appropriations Committee, as to the cor

the appropriation bills.

Mr. Allison said the Military my bill was the only bill that had yet become a law, having been signed by the President. The District of Columbia bills, the pension bill, and the con-sular and diplomatic bill, were now in the conference committee. The army bill had passed the Senate yesterday. by the Senate Committee, and would, he hoped, be considered by the Senate to-morrow. That left with the Senate committee only the agricultural bill, which would be ready for consideration Monday. The post-office bill, the le gislative, executive, and judicial bill; the naval bill, the fortification bill, the general deficiency bill, and the sundry

civil bill had not yet come to the Senate from the House of Representatives. Of those the post-House of office bill was, he believed, now under consideration in the House. The legis-lative bill had been reported to the House and was on the House calendar. The sundry civil, naval, and fortification bills had not yet been reported to the House of Representatives from its Committee on Appropriations. So far as the Senate Committee was concerned Mr. Allison said he could assure the Senate that its work was and would continue to be well in hand, and no delay would be caused by that committee. If the House of Representatives would take care of the bills there would be no

difficulty in the Senate,
Mr. Hoar, from the Committee on
Privileges and Elections, reported a resolution allowing George E. Spencer, formerly senator from Alabama, \$7,132, being the amount of his actual and necessary expenses in maintaining his title to his seat.

Mr. Saulsbury said that as a member of the Committee on Privileges and Elections he did not concur in the resolution offered. On objection of Mr. Cockrell the

resolution went over one day.

An Iowa land-forfeiture bill was then taken up and discussed till

Mr. Hoar, from the conference committee on the electoral-count bill, reported that the House and Senate conferrees had been unable to agree. As the House members of the conference committee had not yet reported to the House, Mr. Hoar moved that a message be sent by the Senate to the House informing the House that the Senate has received this report. (A disagreement, Mr. Hoar said, had taken place in the first week of the session.)
The Texas-Pacific land-forfeiture bill,

as the pending special order, was placed Mr. Blair asked unanimous consent

to take up the anti-foreign-contract-la-Mr. Van Wyck declined to yield, and Mr. Blair moved to proceed to the consideration of the labor-contract

Mr. Van Wyck called for the yeas and navs on Mr. Blair's motion, and it was agreed to-yeas, 30; nays, 19. The labor bill was therefore taken up and its consideration proceeded

Mr. Blair explained that the labor bill is the House bill, and is entitled "An act to prohibit the importation and migration of foreigners and aliens under contract or agreement to perform labor in the United States, its Territories, and the District of Columbia," It prohibits any person or company from prepaying the transportation or encouraging the importation of foreigners under agreement to perform labor in the United States, and makes void all contracts of that character, whether expressed or implied, parole or special. The penalty of \$1,000 is fixed for any infraction of that provision. Shipmasters are forbidden under the penalty of \$500 to bring emigrants who have made such agreements.

Another long debate followed upon this bill. During its progress Mr. Blair had the Clerk read the letter addressed to the President of the Senate saying that while the Senate was throwing away its time talking about the late Confederacy there were bills of the highest importance awaiting its consid-

cration. Pending debate, and without reach-

ing a vote, the Senate adjourned. House of Expresentatives.

The House met at 10 o'clock in coninuation of Thursday's session. On motion of Mr. Payson Senate amendments were concurred in to prevent unlawful occupation of public

Mr. Willis moved that when the House went into Committee of the Whole on the river-and-harbor bill all debate on the pending section be closed in an hour and a half. Mr. Reed, of Maine, raised the point

that this motion was not in order, as it was not competent for the House to close the debate on the paragraphs of the bill which had not yet been read in committee.

The Speaker pro tem. (Mr. Blackburn said that this point would have been well taken if directed against the gene ral appropriation bills and revenue bills; but the river-and-harbor bill had been repeatedly held to be neither, and the Chair therefore overruled the point

Mr. Reed appealed from the decision After a long debate Mr. Willis moved o lay the appeal on the table. Agreed year, 121; nays, 104.

And then, though it was two minute

past 12, the House adjourned, and was immediately called to order again in Friday's session. Ater some unimportant action the

House proceeded to business under the special order. On motion of Mr. Willis it was or

dered that at 10 o'clock to-night the House shall take a recess until 10 'clock to-morrow. At 2:10 the House went into Com-

nittee of the Whole (Mr. Springer, of Illinois, in the chair) on the post-office appropriation bill, the pending question on the point of order raised by Mr. Holman, of Indiana, against the paragraph allowing additional compensation to American steamships for carrying ocean mails. After considerable debate the Chair

in an elaborate opinion overruled the point of order. He, however, ruled out that portion of the paragraph which provides that vessels engaged in this service shall be of American registry, and shall in time of war be hable to

and shall in time of war be hable to charter or purchase by the Unifed States at reasonable rates.

Mr. Holman appealed from the de-cision of the Chair, but the committee by a vote of 130 to 45 sustained the

Mr. Holman then moved to strike out the paragraph and to ascert an amendment appropriating \$420,000 for the transportation of foreign mails, including the railway transit across the Isthmus of Panama, and acting for one year from Jul sections 3976 and 4203 of the right Statutes. The provision reennext Revised Statutes. The provisi

sidy to vessels whother they carried mail or not. If the Government on-tered into a contract with the Pacific Mail Steamship Company—that pow-erful corporation which had been pressit would receive \$143,000 where it not received \$21,000, and it would receive

that whether it carried the mails or not.

It was a naked subsidy.

Mr. Holman referred to an occasion years ago when this same Pacific Mail Company had sought and obtained a subsidy, as the result of which many legislators had suffered shame and poical death, and said he, for one, was not willing to see such a demoralizing principle again obtain standing in the American Congress.

Mr. Hunt, of Louisiana, defended the

Appropriations Committee, and maintained that no subsidy was involved in

the pending clause.

Mr. Blount, of Georgia, said that the House was brought face to face with the question of subsidies. The argu-ments made by the gentlemen in support of the provision demonstrated that this was a subsidy. They called the attention of the House to the fact that foreign Governments paid large subsi-dies to their steamship lines, and that these lines would go down if they were not subsidized.

Referring to Mr. Holman's caution against the recurrence of the disaster against the recurrence of the disaster of former years, Mr. Blount said that Congress had then granted large sums of money to aid the Pacific mail, and what had been the result? It was a scandal to the party in power. From that hour until now public judgment had been averse to subsidies, and he trusted that in the presence of an incoming Administration, with the Democratic party on record here for years, the party in the House to-day and for all time would stand against what he believed to be neither more nor less than subsidy.
Finally Mr. Holman modified his

motion so as to move merely to strike out the provision without the insertion of the clause reenacting sections 3976 and 4203 of the Revised Statutes. The motion was agreed to-105 to 97-

amid applause on the Democratic side On motion of Mr. Cox, of New York, an amendment was adopted directing the Postmaster-General to instruct his subordinates to publish on the foreign bulletin-board in the postoffice building in New York the time of the arrival of foreign-mail steamships.

On motion of Mr. Bingham, of Penn sylvania, an amendment was adopted providing that the rate on drop-letters, including the delivery at the lettercarrier offices, shall be two cents per ounce. The committee then rose and reported the bill to the House, and, the previous question having been ordered on the bill, the House took s recess until 8 o'clock; the evening session to be for the consideration of pen-

sion bills.

The House at its evening session passed bills removing the political disabilities of E. P. Alexander, of Georgia : Alfred Iverson, of Florida; J. R. Hamlton, of North Carolina, and J. K. Mitchell, of Virginia. A dozen pension bills were passed, and at 10 o'clock the House took a recess until 10 o'clock to-

The Illinois Senatorship.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] CHICAGO, February 13.—A special to the Daily News from Springfield says: In the Senate this morning Senator Whitney placed General Logan in nomination for United States senator. The motion to proceed to a ballot was defeated, ewing to the refusal of Senator Ruger to vote. The Republicans were surprised at this action, and claimed that on Senator Ruger's pro-mise to vote with them they decided to bring up the motion for ballot. At noon the Senate decided to join the House in joint session, and shortly afterwards 50 senators joined the 144 ninated Logan, and Linegar spoke for Morrison. He eulogized them both as soldiers, but endorsed Morrison's tariff views. When it came to a vote in joint session, with one absentee or each side, both parties refused to vote, and an adjournment was taken until

Encouraging Outlook of the Iron Interest.
[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] PHILADELPHIA, February 13 .- The Executive Committee of the American Iron and Steel Association, at a full meeting of its members held here yes terday, issued an address to all iron and steel-manufacturers in the United States. It congratulates the American manufacturers of iron and steel, and the country generally, upon the prospect that the depression in business which has continued for about two years, is apparently nearing its end, and says there is much in the business ituation to encourage the feeling of opefulness, and absolutely no ground whatever upon which to base the apprehension that a prolonged continuance of the present depression is possible. The address then counsels confidence in the coming Administration of the General Government and in the stability of our protective system and our existing financial system.

Fraudulent Deed Set Aside. [By telegraph to the Dispatch.] NEW YORK, February 13.--Judge Ingraham in the Superior Court to-day

rendered a decision holding that the assignment of F. Mayer & Co. is null and void. The firm, which did a large wholesale clothing business in White street, was composed of Ferdinand and Benjamin Mayer, father and son. The tirm failed in September, 1883, for over two million dollars, and their actual assets were about \$1,000,000. Both members of the firm have since been indicted for perjury and are now out on bail. The assignment is set aside on the ground of assigners having made fictitious preferences.

Abandoned at Sca.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] Boston, February 13.—The steamer Benwell Tower, from Baltimore for Liverpool, which caught fire while going down Chesapeake bay and returned to Baltimore and afterwards sailed again, was abandoned at sea January 29th disabled, leaking, and gradually settling. She had lost overboard her second mate and one seaman. This was her first voyage with a cargo. She was a new vessel.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] SELMA, ALA., February 13 .- Sanford Jackson, a negro, was hanged here to-day for the murder of Rufus Gill, another negro, in March, 1883. The

of unusual interest. [By telegraph to the Dispatch.] CHATTANOOGA, TENN., February 13 .- Receiver Fink, of the East Tennessee and Georgia system, has withdrawn all his lines from the southern freight and passenger pools.

hanging took place without any incident

You may believe it or not, It struck into the spot Where for twenty years lingered a p When I had rubbed wid it.

And now I'm a well man again.

NORTH CAROLINA.

(Special telegram to the Dispatch.)
RALEIGH, N. C., February 13.—
Among the bill introduced in the Senate to-day were two incorporating the Clinton and Faison railroad and the Cashie and Roanoke railroad. There was a long and heated debate on the bill forbidding the practice of medicine by any persons save those duly exam licensed by the State Be Medical Examiners. It finally passed to its third reading by a vote of 32 to 9. The bill incrasing the number of judicial districts from nine to twelve came up, and provoked another warm debate. It finally passed, and having previously passed the House is now a

In the House a bill providing for the erection of a building for the State Library and Supreme Court passed to a final reading, and is now a law. It appropriates \$15,000 for brick-, stone-, and fron-work, to be done by convicts, and to be begun at once under the Governor's direction. The building will be a very handsome one.

The bill prohibiting the sale or im-

portation of obscene literature and pictures passed to its final reading in the House, and is now a law.

In the House an important insurance bill was debated. It repeals the in-surance-deposit law and allows the people of the State to get insurance anywhere. The pressure for cheaper insurance is very great. The bill was made the special order for next Wednesday. The outlook is encouraging for the

extension of the Carolina Central railway from Shelby to Spartanburg, the Cranberry Iron-Works, and into Ten-

Fatally Injured by a Victors Boar

[Special telegram to the Dispatch.]
RALEIGH, N. C., February 13.—
Britton Parker, of Union county, aged eighty, owns a vicious boar. He went out to where the boar was, when he was attacked by the enraged animal, thrown down, and his legs and side cut to pieces. One of his ribs was torn out. His injuries are thought to be fatal. Civil-Service Examinations South.

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.) WASHINGTON, February 13 .- The Civil-Service Commission furnishes the following information relative to the

forthcoming examinations in the South "Civil-service examinations will be held in the Southwest and the South during the month of March, as follows : At Nashville, Tenn., Thursday the 12th; Memphis, Tenn., Saturday the 14th; Little Rock, Ark., Tuesday the 17th; Jackson, Miss., Friday the 20th; New Orleans, La., Monday the 23d; Montgomery, Ala., Wednesday the 25th; Atlanta, Ga., Thursday the 26th; and Charlotte, N. C., Saturday the "These examinations will be for de

partmental service at Washington, and

any person living at or near the places named who desire to be examined for that service and who have not already filed their applications should at once write to the Civil-Service Commission at Washington for application. blanks when received should be executed and returned to the Commission at once so that at least an eight days' notice of examination sent to the applicants But any persons who do not receive blanks soon enough to enable them to execute and return them to the Comnission in time to have such notice sent may present their applications, duly excuted, to the chief examiner at the time of examination. Examinations will be gin at 10 o'clock A. M., and will be at the post-office unless another place is designated in the notice, and applicants should be present at least ten minutes before the hour named. The Commission has an inadequate number of names on its eligible registers from the States of Arkansas, Misssippi, Louisiana, and Alabama, and crsons from those States who pass the xaminations will therefore have a better prospect of an early appointment than those from States having a larger number on the register."

Beath of Colonel Thomas Buford. (By telegraph to the Dispatch LOUISVILLE, Ky., February 13 .olonel Thomas Buford, brother of General Abe Buford, and slayer of Judge Elliott, of the Court of Appeals, died this morning at the Anchorage (Ky.) Lunatic Asylum, after a long illness, from chronic disease. Colonel Buford shot and killed Judge Elliott for rendering a decision against his sis ter in a case involving considerable property. After trial Colonel Buford was adjudged a lunatic and sent to the asylum, from which place he escaped, going across the river to Indiana, where he lived for about a year hunting and fishing, the asylum officials being unable under the law to bring him back to Kentucky. Without friends or noney, Buford grew sick, and, finally, was forced by want to go back to the sylum, where he remained until his It is only seven years since he killed Judge Elliott; but in that time Buford saw his family lose all their property, and the trouble of his brother was undoubtedly the cause of the sui-cide of the noted turfinan, General Abe Buford, who killed himself last summer,

Colored Educational Conference.

[By telegraph to the Dispate NEW ORLEANS, February 13 .- The 'olored Commissioners' Educational Conference met last night at the Congregational church in this city to carry out the aims suggested by the original call. A number of prominent colored men were present, including M. W. Gibbs, of Arkansas : F. G. Barbadoes of Massachusetts; W. J. Simpson, of Kentucky; R. H. Herbert, of New Jersey; Philip Joseph, of Alabama; Hon. P. B. S. Pinchback and James Kennedy, of Louisiana, and many others. Gibbs explained the object in view to be mainly the establishment of schools for technical education of colored children in mechanical branches and trades. After discussing the objects in view at some length the Conference adjourned till this evening.

Indiciments for Perjury.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch. NEW ORLEANS, February 13 .- The grand jury has returned indictments for perjury against the following witnesses in the Ford-Murphy murder case: E. J. Schlessinger, B. Call, Mrs. Susan McMahon, Mrs. Mary Smythe, Abe Loewenthal, George Grover, and Peter Ebryer. It is stated that in view of the many publications of the circumstances connected with the case and the mpossibility of obtaining a fair trial the accused will apply for a change of renne.

Appointment Confirmed.
[By cable to the Dispatch.]

ROME, February 13 .- The that Right Rev. William Gross, Roman Catholic Bishop of the diocese of Savannah, Ga., had been appointed Archbishop of Oregon City, is confirmed.

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.) NEW YORK, February 13 .- The following were the business failures throughout the country during last week : For the United States, 239; for Canada, 21—total, 270—ignisst 346 BOOK AND 18 last week and 354 the week provious. last week and 354 the week provious. This large decrease is probably more

and Northwest has been so much inter rupted by snow that doubtless many failures in the remote localities have not been reported.

NEW BASE-BALL LEAGUE.

tion Plan and Rules.

An Indianapolis (Ind.) special says: The snow-bound delegates from the Northwest to the meeting called here for the purpose of forming a western base-ball association reached the city to-day. ball association reached the city to-day, and a full meeting, either by personal delegates or proxy, was held at the Grand Hotel to-night, which organ-ized what is called "The Western League." The clubs composing it are those of Cleveland, Indianapolis, Toledo, Kansas City, Nash ville, St. Paul, and Milwaukee. Offi cers wers elected, as follows: President, A. V. McKim, of Kansas City; Vice-President, C. M. Kipp, of Milwaukee; Secretary and Treasurer, Philip Igae, of Indianapolis. The latter offi-cer was voted a salary of \$400. Directors: T. H. Whipple, of Toledo; Joseph Swanbacher, Indianapolis; T. Lawrence, Cleveland. The rules of the American Association were adopt ed by the League, with the exception of the foul bound, and the pitcher is not restricted in his delivery. The Association's rules for umpires and the general constitution and playing-rules were adopted. Watkins, of Indianapolis, and Sullivan, of Kansas City, were appointa committee to confer with manufac-turers and agree upon a ball for the League. Swanbacher, of Indianapolis, and Sullivan were named as a committee to select umpires, whose pay was fixed at \$5 a game and expenses, the home club to bear their expenses and to transport them to the next town. The remuneration of the visiting clubs was fixed at \$75, or 30 per cent. of the gross receipts, as they might elect. The neeting was harmonious, and the feeling is that the League will have a good season and take a good stand among the second-class associations. The play

> The Soudan War. [By cable to the Dispatch.]

LONDON, February 13 .- It has bee lecided to take no steps looking to the calling out of the reserves till after Par liament has assembled.

ing season will begin on the 1st of May

CHARGES AGAINST THE GOVERN MENT. LONDON, February 13.—The Con-servative papers have charged the Gov-

ernment with suppressing General Gordon's diary and a letter in which that officer stated that he had sent Colonel Stewart away from Khartoum in order to save his (Stewart's) life, intending himself to meet death at Khartoum, as he knew no help could reach there in time to rescue him. When the Parliament assembles the production of all dispatches of the Government in regard to the Soudan campaign will be de manded.

The Marquis of Hartington, Secretary of State for War, advises the acceptance of the offers from Canada and New South Wales to send troops to the Soudan, but the War-Office authoritie oppose the proposition. The question will be referred to the Cabinet for decision. Owing to the opposition of the Duke of Cambridge, commander-inchief, and other officers, it is probable that the Ministry will decide to inform Canada and New South Wales that their assistance is not needed. Canadian voyageurs who were with the Nile expedition left Alexandria in the steamer Poonah, which will convey them direct to Queenstown. they will embark in the steamer Hano venan for home and will reach Quebe the first week in March. Dispatches from General Wolseley compliment the voyageurs for their services.

A London syndicate has made an offer to the Government to construct a rai way from Suakim to Berber, building block-houses at intervals to guard the line, if guaranteed 4½ per cent, income of the capital invested.

ROME, February 13 .- The Fanfulla tates that the third expedition from Italy to the Red sea will leave Naples the end of the month and will consist of two battalions of infantry, a section of artillery, and a company of engineers. That paper also says the Government is considering a project to establish a regular packet service between Naples and Suakim, Assab, Aden, and Massowah. Lynchburg Notes.

[Special telegram to the Dispatch.] LYNCHBURG, VA., February 13— Mrs. Martha Williams, wife of James T. Williams, Esq., a prominent citizen died very suddenly to-day of heartdisease.

bell county yesterday charged with incendiarism, was to-day sent on to the grand jury for indictment. A heavy snow-storm prevailed here

President Cleveland and His Caller

ALBANY, N. Y., February 13.— President-elect Cleveland to-night sent an answer to the persons in Washingon who requested an interview that he had given up all his time since his election to the public, and he was now forced to deny himself to all callers for the few days remaining before the inauguration and to request all persons who desired to communicate with him to submit their views in writing."

Murders at Meridian, Mississippi.

(By telegraph to the Dispatch. NEW OBLEANS, February 13 .- The Times-Democrat's Meridian (Miss.) sp cial says: Yesterday at Poplarville, on the Northeastern railroad, in a fight be tween two citizens named Boone and Sanders, both were killed. Boone was town marshal, and the difficulty is supposed to have originated in an attempted

By telegraph to the Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, February 13. ceretary of the Interior has decided o allow the State of Alabama to abide by the field notes of the General Land flice as proof of the character of the lands claimed by that State under the indemnity clause of the swamp-land

COTTON AT ALL PORTS. NEW YORK, February 13 .- The folwing are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1, 1884 : Galveston, 434,391 bales; New Orleans, 1,344,693 bales; Mobile, 216,-591 bales; Savannah, 674,373 bales; Charleston, 485,046 bales; Wilming on, 88,264 bales; Norfolk, 505,566 bales; Baltimore, 50,231 bales; New bales; Baltimore, 50,231 bales; New York, 61,893 bales; Boston, 67,811 bales; Newport's News, 52,621; Phil-adelphia, 31,538 bales; West Point, 203,134 bales; Brun-wick, 9,645 bales; Port Royal, 4,348 bales; Pensacola, 21,682 bales; City Point, 400 bales; Indianola, 10,156 bales—total, 4,262,-383 bales.

LATE WEATHER REPORT.

Special telegram to the Dispat WASHINGTON, February 14-1:20 A. M. - For the Middle Atlantic States, fair weather, clearing on coast, north erly winds shifting to east and south lower barometer.

For the South Atlantic States, loca rains, partly cloudy, slightly warms, weather, northeasterly winds.

The Weather in Richmond Yesterday was cloudy and snowy.

Range of Thermometer Yesterday. A. M. 3 P. M 6 P. M. Mean temperature.

Registrars and Judges The Electoral Board of Richmond city will meet this evening at 4 o'clock, and will then proceed to appoint judges and registrars of election. Recommendations should be sent in to Colonel W. and registrars of election. H. Palmer or Clerk W. P. Lawton before that hour. Aupreme Court of Appeals.

ner, Esqs., for appellees, and continued until Monday.

Hutcheson and als. against Grubbs

administrator, and als. Argued by George B. Fisch, Esq., for appellant, and Thomas N. Page and C. J. Faulk-

Police Court. Mary L. Deane (colored), charged with forging and attempting to employ as true a false and forged writing purporting to be a gas bill due by said Mary L. Deane, amounting to eighty cents, signed "Received payment-Greenhow," she knowing the same to be forged. Upon being arrested she informed the officer that she gave the money to pay the gas bill to her son, Samuel Deane, who brought the bill back to her receipted. The Police Justice sent the accused

on to the grand jury. Samuel Deane, the son, who is also charged with forgery, waived an examination. Both of them were bailed for their appearance at the next term of the grand jury. Joseph Adams, a young white man,

charged with vagrancy. The accused was before the Police Justice June 10, 1884, on the charge of stealing. While awaiting trial in jail he was released on account of his health and sent to the City Hospital. He was discharged from that institution a day or two ago, and was ordered to leave the city. He refused to do so, and was arrested on the first-named charge. He was sent to jail for three months in default of security. Rich, and West Point Terminal.

Closed by Attachment.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] YAZOO CITY, MISS., February 13 .-The store of Holmes & Fowler, general merchants, has been closed by attachment, and a receiver has been appointed. The liabilities are \$5,000, and the assets are ample, but not immediately avail-More Earthquakes in Spain

MADRID, Eebruary 13 .- Earthquake

hocks were felt to-day at Torre Del Campo, about forty miles north of Granada. They were severe enough to do serious damage to hospitals SWEEPING REDUCTIONS!

the handsomest styles still in stock, and the Virginia peelers ...

In BOYS' SUITS, for ages from twelve to Richmond city 8's. eventeen years, the reductions are even | Richmond city 6's ... reater. The reason for this is that the stock | Richmond city 5's is still large, and the prices must sell them. RAILROAD BONDS.

Col. & Greenville 1st 6's., 951 the prices are such that it will pay you to Va. Midland income 6's Piedmont R. R. 1st 8's BUY now for next season's use.

OUR TAILORING DEPARTMENT. OUR LIVERY DEPARTMENT. OUR MEN'S SUIT DEPARTMENT, OUR HAT DEPARTMENT, OUR MEN'S OVERCOAT DEPARTMENT, OUR FURNISHING DEPARTMENT offer inducements that are sure to please

A. SAKS & CO. ONE-PRICE CLOTHIERS. 1013 MAIN STREET.

OFFICE OF THE CHESAPEANE & OHIO RAILWAY COMPANY. RICHMOND, VA., February 13, 1885. NOTICE.—TO THE STOCKHOLD-ERS OF THE CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO RAILWAY COMPANY: The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Chesa-peake and Ohio Railway Company will be held at the office of the company in the city of Richmond, Va., on THURSDAY the 19th lay of March, 1885. J. GARRETE, fo 14-8a&121awid Cashler.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE HENRICO RAILROAD COMPANY, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Receivers of the Richmond and Alleghany Railroad Company, Room 15, in the city of Richmond, Va., on FRIDAY, March 6, 1885, at 2 o'clock P. M. Polis will be opened at 2 F. M., and will remain open for one hour, unless all the stock shall be sooner voted. Transfer-books of the company will be closed on the 28th day of February 1886, and remain closed until March 7, 1889.

ALLIAN MCCULLOH, fe 14-24 THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE

MONROE-WARD DEMOCRATIC M CLUB.—The members of MONROE
WARD DEMOCRATIC CLUB are requested to attend a meeting of their Club at Laubeb
Hall, First and Broad streets, THIS (Saturday) EVENING, February 14th, at \$0 closes to consider the question of going to Washington on 4th March next. Members will please attend promptly.

By order of J. T. ELLYSON, President, fe 14-1t
S. B. JACOBS, Secretary.

* MINERENTS.

RICHMOND THEATRE. R TO-NIGHT PERRUARY 14TH.
Last time of the latest New York suce
THE KINDERGARTEN.
Grand mathee at 2:30 P. M. Admiss
25 and 50c; reserved seats, 75c. At in
prices as usual.

DIME MUSEUM.

Engagement extraordinary of the cele-brated actor, Mr. JOSEPH H. KEANE, with his TALENTED NEW YORK DRAMATIC COMPANY, in his inimitable impersonation of RIP VAN WINKLE, with new scenery and approintments, and a with new scenery and appointments, and a SPLENDID CAST OF CHARACTERS. Doors open at 1:30 P. M.; commence at 2:30 P. M. Doors open at 7 P. M.; commence at 8 P. M. Admission, only 10 cents; reserved seats, 20 cents; to be had at C. F. Johnston's, 918 Main street, fe 10-51

EXCURSION.

RICHMOND, FREDERICKSBURG AND POTOMAC RAILROAD COMPANY, RICHMOND, February 9, 1885, XCURSION TO WASHINGT A SPECIAL EXCURSION TRAIN of the Edward Edward (head of Broad street) at 5:30

leave Etha (head of Broad street) at 5:30 A. M. on SATUIDAY, 21st instant, arriving in Washington about 10 A. M. Resurning, train will leave Washington at 10 P. M. SAME DAY, thus enabling all who desire to witness or participate in the ceremonics of dedicating the Washington Monument to the street of the stre

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, February 13 .- Ther was a further decline in the stock mar-ket to-day, and apparently there has been less effort than usual on the part of those who were recently prominent in the upward movement to resist the in the upward movement to resist the downward course of prices. The opening quotations were at lower, and in the early dealings prices were permitted to decline further at. The market quickly developed a vigorous attack upon Western Union, which sold down to St. Paul and Missouri Pacific also very weak. The rest of the market yielded at. This was followed by a reaction, and the advance continued until action, and the advance continued until New York Central, Lake Shore, and Union Pacific were and Lackawanna over yesterday's close. After this prices weakened and closed at the lowest figures of the day, not a single ac tive stock being higher than yesterday, although almost all of them were less than I lower-Western Union, however, 15 and St. Paul 14 lower. No

rumors of any sort are in circulation. Sales, 278,000 shares. Noon .- Stocks steady. Money, per cent. Exchange—Long, 483a4831; short, 486a4861. Governments ne-glected. States firm.

Evening .- Exchange, 4831. Money, 1a2 per cent. Sub-Treasury balances—
Gold, \$131,014; currency, \$22,453; Governments firm; 4 per cents,
1221; 3 per cents, 101 bid. State
bonds dull. Alabama-Class A, 2 to 5 ... (bid)

B, 5's, sm'll (bid) 102 Georgia 6's (bid) 101 Georgia 7's, mortgage North Carolina's..... North Carolina's, new. (bid) North Carolina funding South Carolina Brown con (bid) 10 Tennessee 6's..... Virginia 6's (bid) Virginia consols... (bid) Chesapeake and Ohio. Chicago and Northwestern Chicago and Northwestern p'fd., 1281 Denver and Rio Grande . . Erie East Tennessee Railroad Lake Shore ... Louisville and Nashville Memphis and Charleston..... New Orleans Pacific 1st mort. New York Central, Norfolk and Western pref. Northern Pacific Northern Pacific pref. Pacific Mail ... Reading Richmond and Alleghany Richmond and Danville., (bid)

Western Union BALTIMORE BALTIMORE, February 13 .- Virginia 6's, consols, 421; past-due coupons 521; new 10-40's, 35; new 3's, 511

Rock Island ...

St. Paul preferred ...

St. Paul ..

North Carolina's, old, 104. Bid to-day, RICHMOND STOCK EXCHANGE. FRIDAY, February 13, 1885.

SALES. - \$500 Virginia and Alabams Mining and Manufacturing Company 8 per cent, bonds (B. C.) at 102; \$172 Virginia 3 per cent. fractional at 51%, DREN'S DEPARTMENT; and, as SATUR- \$46.54 do, at 514; 2,000 Petersburg DAY is the day upon which the greatest in- Class B at 851, 2,000 do. at 851, 2,000 vestments in BOYS' and CHILDREN'S | do. at 851, 1,000 do. at 85), 1,000 do. CLOTHING are made, why we atvise you at 851; 500 Richmond city 5's at 105, lower, but our product is going out 1,000 do. at 105, 700 do. at 105, 1,000 nearly as fast as made, which will make

STATE SECURITIES. Bid. Asked. 33 Virginia new 3's.,.. reduction on Suits averages from \$2 to \$3 a Va. con. tax-rec. coup., '82. 52 Suit. Surely, an inducement for you to in. Va. con. tax-rec. coup., '83. 42 North Carolina 6's ...

113 Southside 3d mt, pref. 6's...102 Petersburg Class A, 5's, ..., 924 Pet. Class B, 6's,..... R., F. & P. ext. 6's. 1074 R., F. & P. ext. 7's, 1899. R., Y. R. and Ches. 8's. 107 R. and D. con, 6's, 1885... R. and D. con. 6's, 1890....102

R. and D. gold 6's R. and D. debentures. 57 R. and Alle, 1st mort. 7's, 52 Atlanta and Charlotte 7's., 1094 A. and C. inc. 6's C., C. and A. 1st mort. 7's, 106 C., C. and A. 2d 7's. 921 Western N. Carolina 7's. . . . 108] Georgia Pacific 1st 6's 921 RAILROAD STOCKS. Par.

R., F. & P. div. scrip...100 45 R., F. & P. 6 p. c. guar. 100 114 R., F. & P. 7 p. c. guar. 100 130 Col. & Greenville pref.. 100 Rich. & Petersburg....100 Petersburg Railroad 100 244 Seaboard & R. guar..... 100 125 Rich. & Alleghany 100 Char., Col. & Augusta.100 Atlanta & Charlotte 100 684 North Carolina......100 Norfolk & W. pref 100 211 BANKS. State Bank of Va......100 104

Union Bank of Rich'd, 50 63 Pet'b'g Sav. and In. Co. 20 171 INSURANCE COS. Virginia State...... 25 331 34 GRAIN AND COTTON EXCHANGE.

RICHMOND, February 13, 1885. OFFERINGS. WHEAT .- Mixed, 74 bushels. Red, 1,702 bushels. Total, 1,776 bush-

CORN.-White, 300 bushels. Mixed.

1,400 bushels. OATS.-2,000 bushels. PEAS.-24 bushels. ORCHARD-GRASS SEED .- 76 bush-

SALES REPORTED TO SECRETARY.

WHEAT .- Mixed, 74 bushels on private terms. Red, 1,000 bushels prime Longberry at 98c.; 20 bushels common Shortberry at 75c.
CORN.—White, 140 bushels prime
Virginia at 54 to 55c.; 160 bushels

good Virginia on private terms. FLOUR.

We quote: Fine, \$2.25a\$2.50; supfine, \$2.25a\$3; extra, \$3.50a\$3 family, \$4.25a\$5; patent country, \$5a\$5.25. Market MARKETS BY TELEGR. NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, February 1: ton quiet; sales, 51 bale lands, 11;c.; Orleans, 11;c.; net receipts, 4.867 bales; ceipts, 25,128; exports

: extra C. 5ja5je. ; 5c.; extra C, 5ja5jc.; white extra 5ja5jc.; yellow, 4ja4jc.; off A, 5jc mould A, 6jc.; standard A, 5jc, confectioners' A, 5 i5-10a6c.; cal loaf and crushed, 6ja6jc.; powdored 6 5-16a6jc.; granulated, 6 3-16c. cubes, 6 7-16c. Molasses unchanged Rice steady. Cotton-seed oil, 37a3s for crude; 40ja4lc. for refined Rosin dull at \$1,221a81, 274. Turned Rosin dull at \$1.224a\$1.274. Tu tine steady at 304a304c. Hides of Wool firm. Pork firm; mess, spot, \$14.25. Middles firm; long clear Lard unsettled and lower; w

steam, spot, \$1,30a\$7.304; Feb. \$7.30a\$7.31. Freights dull. BALTIMORE.

BALTIMORE, February 13 .- Flo quiet and steady : Howard-street a quiet and steady: Howard-street a western superfine, \$2.75a\$3.15; oxtu \$3.25a\$3.75; family, \$3.87a\$4.7 City Mills superfine, \$2.75a\$3.15; tra, \$3.25a\$3.75; Rio brands, \$4.7 Wheat—Southern easier; western fir and dull; southern red, 93a95c.; an ber, 96a98c.; No. 1 Maryland, 94 ber, 90398c.; No. 1 maryland, 9-944c.; No. 2 western winter red, spot 884a89c. Corn—Southern easier; west ern firmer and dull; southern white 56a57c.; yellow, 51a52c. Oats stead and quiet; southern, 35a38c.; weste white, 37a38c.; mixed, 34a35c.; Per sylvania, 34a37c. Provisions firm with a fair local demand. Mess pork-Old, \$13.75; new, \$14. Bulk-meats—Shoulders, clear-rib sides, packed, \$6a.775. Bacon — Shoulders, \$6.75; Bacon - Shoulders, \$6.75; clear-rib sides, \$8.50; hams, \$12.75a \$13. Lard-Refined, 8jc. Coffee dull and easy; Rio cargoes, ordinary to fair, 8a94c. Sugar firm; A soft, 64c. Whiskey nominally steady at \$1.20a \$1.21. Freights dull.

CINCINNATI

CINCINNATI, February 13.-Plour n light demand. Wheat scarce and firm; No. 2 red, 86a89c. Corn firm; No. 2 mixed, 43c. Oats firm; No. 2 mixed, 324c. Pork firm at \$13. Lard firm at \$7.07 a \$7.10. Bulk-meats unchanged. Bacon unchanged. Whisker dull at \$1.13. Sugar unchanged. Hogs firm ; common and light, \$3.90a \$5.25; packing and butchers', \$4.85a \$5.50.

CHICAGO. CHICAGO, February 13 .- Flour

unchanged. Wheat quiet and steady; February, 78a78 c. Corn very quiet; closed jajc. higher; cash, 36ja37c.; February, 374a374c. Oats steady; cash and February, 27a274c. Mose pork irregular; declined 5a74c.; closed steady; cash, \$13. Lard averaged a shade higher; cash and February, \$7a\$7.021. Whiskey firm at \$1.15. Sugars stead and unchanged. [Grain and Provision Circular.)

CHICAGO, February 13-5 P. M.-C.

E. Redford, 6 south Twelfth street; Dear

Sir,-The markets show but little life, and a small effort would put them higher or lower. Wheat fluctuated within a narrow ange, closing 831 for May, with local dealers bearish and expecting further

decline to-morrow.

Corn steady but dull, closing 401c. for May, 37 to 38c. aboard cars, with, but little freight room to be had, and several days will clapse before easters lines can take it freely. It is cheap; will all be wanted.

Provisions unsettled and easier, with a shaking-out process going on, but with indifferent success; closing \$13.15 May pork, \$7.20 May lard, \$6.72 May ribs. They will probably go somewhat prices higher in the near future. Estimate receipts of hogs to-morrow, 20, 000. McDermid & Co.

ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, February 13 .- Flour unchanged. Wheat ruled higher and closed a fraction off; No. 2 red, 8514 S6c. cash; 851c. February, Corn-Cash higher; 361a361c. cash; 361a 361c. February. Oats slow at 291c. cash. Whiskey steady at \$1.14. Provisions firm and slow. Pork—Job-bing, \$12.25a\$12.37\frac{1}{2}. Lard, \$6.95a \$7. Bulk-meats—Long clear, \$6.55\frac{1}{2}. short ribs, \$6.65a\$6.90. Bacon-Long clear, \$7.70; short ribs and clear,

LOUISVILLE.

\$7.30.

LOUISVILLE, February 13 .- Grain firm, Wheat - No. 2 red. 86c. Corn-No. 2 white, 45c. Provisions firm. Pork-Mess. \$13.50. meats-Shoulders, \$5; clear rib, \$6.75; clear sides, 87. Bacon-Shoulders, \$5.50; clear rib, \$7.50; sides, \$7.75. Sugar-cured hams, 11c. Lard-Prime leaf, \$8,50.

WILMINGTON, N. C., February 13. Turpentine quiet at 27c. Rosin firm; strained, 95c. good, \$1. Tar firm at \$1.10. Crude turpentine steady ; hard, \$1.15; yellow-dip and virgin, \$1.75. MILWAUKEE. MILWAUKEE, February 13 .- Flour in fair demand. Wheat weak; No. 2

Milwaukee, cash, 764c.; February, 764c. Corn dull; No. 3, 39a394c. Oats

dull; No. 2, white, 30a304c.

WILMINGTON.

sions higher. Mess-pork, \$13.121 cash. Lard-Prime steam, \$7.03 cash and February. Sweet-pickled hams firm at 84a94c. Hogs steady at \$4.90a\$5.

NEW YORK COTTON FUTURES. NEW YORK, February 13.—Cotton—Net receipts, 118 bales; gross receipts, 701 bales. Futures closed sales, 45,500 bales; February, \$11.17a\$11.18; March, \$11.24a\$11.25 April, \$11.32; May, \$11.42a\$11.49 June, \$11.53a\$11.54; July, \$11.62a \$11.63; August, \$11.71a\$11.72; September, \$11.31a\$11.34; October, \$10.84a\$10.88; November, and Decem ber. \$10.70a\$10.72.

NORFOLK PEANUT MARKET. [Reported for the Dispatch.] NORFOLK, February 13 .- Pean Best hand-picked, &c. per extra hand-picked, 34c. pe other grades, 3a34c. per ket quiet.

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